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Applicants(s): Jian Ling Ding et al.      Examiner: JOYNES, ROBERT M  
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Title: HYDROCOLLOID COMPOSITIONS

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Amendment and Response to Office Action

Dear Sir/Madam:

In response to the Office action of June 3, 2004 please amend the above-identified application as follows:

**Amendments to the Claim** begin on page 2 of this paper;

**Remarks/Arguments** begin on page 6 of this paper.

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